

## Message Text

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E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: OEXC, AF

SUBJ: EAST-WEST CENTER SPONSORED CONFERENCE APRIL 4-10

1. SAYED MALMOUD FARANI, ASST. EDITOR OF ANIS DAILY NEWSPAPER  
WILL PARTICIPATE IN EAST-WEST SPONSORED CONFERENCE IN  
HONOLULU FROM APRIL 4-10. HIS RETURN ITINERARY IS THROUGH  
CONTINENTAL U.S. WITH EAST COAST STOPS.

2. FARANI HAS EXPRESSED STRONG INTEREST IN OBSERVING IN-DEPTH  
OPERATION OF U.S. WORLD AND NEWS REPORTS IN WASHINGTON FROM  
15-30 APRIL AND NEW YORK TIMES FROM 30 APRIL TO 21 MAY.

3. POST UNDERSTANDS AND HAS INFORMED FARANI THAT NYT NO  
LONGER ACCEPTS FOREIGN VISITORS BUT REQUEST CONFIRMATION ON  
THIS POINT.

4. IF FARANI DESIRES NOT POSSIBLE CAN DEPT. OFFER ALTERNATIVE  
SUGGESTIONS FOR IN-DEPTH, PROFESSIONAL OBSERVATION OF  
NEWSPAPER AND NEWS MAGAZINE.

5. FYI: ASIA FOUNDATION HAS INDICATED WILLINGNESS  
TO FUND FIVE WEEKS PER DIEM SUBJECT TO SPECIFIC REQUEST  
FROM FARANI AND FORMULATION OF SUITABLE OBSERVER PROGRAM.  
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POST CONSIDERS FARANI BRIGHT, CAPABLE AND WITH CAREER

POSSIBILITIES STILL AHEAD OF HIM. HIS ENGLISH IS VERY GOOD.

6. APPRECIATE DEPT. ADVICE ASAP.

7. DECONTROL UPON RECEIPT.

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